

Docket No. 256917US3PCT  
 IN RE APPLICATION OF: Tsuneo NOGUCHI  
 SERIAL NO: 10/505,451  
 FILED: September 1, 2004  
 FOR: WINDMILL FOR WIND POWER GENERATION



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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- No additional fee is required
- Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- Additional documents filed herewith: Attachment A

The Fee has been calculated as shown below:

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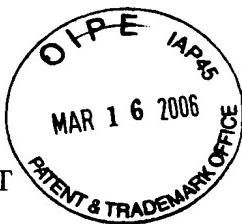
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In response to the Office Action dated December 16, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 10 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 12 of this paper.